

WEEKLY REMINDERS:

Seniors: Senior Information Sheet and money (for Senior Trip and Senior Banquet) is due by March 15th.

Book Club #5 (sci-fi/fantasy)- See Below

WOTW 1: irony (n) - the use of a word or phrase to mean the exact opposite of its literal or usual meaning

WOTW 2: cultural (or historical) significance (n) - the generally accepted importance of a work representing a given culture.

Vocabulary is due this MONDAY, March 7th.

Period 1, 4:

1. Finish reading *Lord of the Flies* by Monday. Use these two days for reading. If done, look at spark notes and read about the novel as much as you can in preparation for the literary analysis essay we will be working on next week.

Period 3, 7:

1. You have two reading days to work on *Ender's Game*. The book is due Monday. Please read as much as you can in class.

Period 6:

1. Complete your AP Practice MC sections (questions 46-55) for the rest of the 2014 AP Test. You may work with one partner. Submit.
2. Access the Shakespearean play *Hamlet* on SparkNotes. Under the area called Contents, read the following sections: Plot Overview, Character List, Analysis of Major Characters, Themes, Motifs & Symbols, Important Quotations Explained, and Key Facts. This is due Monday. Do it in class, probably on Friday.

Period 8:

1. Using the laptops (or iPads), work on Khan Academy modules in preparation for Saturday's SAT.
2. You will have to open up your account and verify that you've worked on practice modules beyond what I've already seen.

Science Fiction/Fantasy Read Along Assignment

Due Date: March 10th.

Book Club and Read Along

1. Choose and read 1 book that is an age appropriate science fiction/fantasy.
2. For the book you read:
 - a. Taking care to include the beginning, middle, and end of the book, make a **Timeline** of the **ten** most significant events.
 - b. List at least **five scientific concepts** that are included within the context of the book
 - c. Discuss the truth (validity) of each scientific concept. How is real or legitimate?
 - d. Explain the science *fiction* of each concept. Should the science fiction be developed? Or not? Why?
3. The Timeline should take the front of one page, as per A above.
4. The back of the page should have five paragraphs dealing with B-D from above.